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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Forty-ninth Saturday in 1939
(9th December 1939.)

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 11th December 1939								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1939							
						This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
		I.	c.	I.	c.		c.		c.	I	c.		
BANGALORE	Bangalore(observatory)	0	00	0	12	35	26	33	90	1	36		
	Hoskote ...	0	00	0	08	40	36	28	88	11	48		
	Dodballapur ...	0	00	0	07	38	56	29	87	8	69		
	Nelamangala ...	0	00	0	04	35	44	29	82	5	62	Rice, 2nd sort.	
	Kankanhalli ...	0	00	0	09	37	91	30	37	7	54		
	Magadi ...	0	00	0	11	38	46	32	37	6	09	Ragi	
	Channapatna ...	0	00	0	10	37	13	35	52	4	61		
	Anekal ...	0	00	0	14	32	51	33	00	— 0	49	Kulthi	
	Devanhalli ...	0	00	0	08	39	03	28	99	10	04		
	Closepet ...	0	00	0	11	31	68	32	50	— 1	82	Kadale	
	District average ...	0	00	0	09	36	53	31	20	5	33		
KOLAR	Kolar ...	0	00	0	16	30	76	27	35	3	41		
	Bowringpet ...	0	00	0	14	28	22	28	34	—0	12		
	Chintamani ...	0	00	0	13	33	41	26	67	6	74		
	Mulbagal ...	0	00	0	21	31	18	29	19	1	99	Rice, 2nd sort.	
	Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	0	08	42	04	28	65	13	39		
	Chikballapur ...	0	00	0	09	35	55	29	33	5	22	Ragi	
	Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	06	20	98	25	57	— 4	59		
	Goribidnur ...	0	00	0	05	23	98	27	07	— 3	09	Kulthi	
	Malur ...	0	00	0	11	32	80	29	46	3	34		
	Srinivaspur ...	0	00	0	16	33	76	27	61	6	15	Kadale	
	Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	09	32	19	29	98	2	21		
	District average ...	0	00	0	11	31	35	28	11	3	24		
TUMKUR	Tumkur ...	0	00	0	01	31	70	31	92	0	22		
	Madhugiri ...	0	00	0	07	31	59	26	53	4	06		
	Chikkaikanhalli ...	0	00	0	11	36	00	27	04	8	96	Rice, 2nd sort.	
	Sira ...	0	00	0	04	25	59	22	28	3	31		
	Gubbi ...	0	00	0	02	34	28	28	28	6	00	Ragi	
	Tiptur ...	0	00	0	4	29	95	24	01	5	94		
	Pavagada ...	0	00	0	04	22	44	21	05	1	39	Kulthi	
	Kunigal ...	0	00	0	03	35	3	29	90	5	40		
	Koratagere ...	0	00	0	05	29	10	25	26	3	84	Kadale	
	Turuvekere ...	0	00	0	07	31	45	27	40	4	05		

	This week	Past week	Corresponding fortnight's average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·00	6·00	6·50
Ragi	13·50	13·50	13·50
Kulthi	8·00	8·00	10·00
Kadale	7·00	7·00	7·25
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	7·00
Ragi	15·00	15·00	13·00
Kulthi	10·00	10·00	11·00
Kadale	7·00	7·00	7·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	5·00
Ragi	16·00	16·00	[illegible]
Kulthi	8·00	10·00	12·00
Kadale	6·00	6·00	5·00

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 11th December 1939 — This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1939 — This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5	Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5
	I. c	I. c	I. c	I. c	I. c
MYSORE					
Mysore (observatory)	0 00	0 11	26 59	29 57	— 2 98
Chamarajnagar ...	0 00	0 20	32 80	26 67	6 13
Hunsur ...	0 00	0 21	28 27	30 67	— 2 40
Krishnarajnagar ...	0 00	0 14	27 05	26 10	0 95
Heggadevankote	0 00	0 24	34 75	37 51	— 2 76
Gundlupet ...	0 00	0 22	28 83	25 60	3 23
Nanjangud ...	0 00	0 14	33 68	28 35	5 33
T. Narsipur ...	0 00	0 16	31 04	27 42	3 62
Periyapatna ...	0 00	0 27	39 43	33 31	6 12
District average ...	0 00	0 19	31 38	29 46	1 92
MANDYA					
Mandya (observatory)	0 00	0 13	27 21	27 06	0 15
Seringapatam ...	0 00	0 12	30 44	26 51	3 93
Malvalli ...	0 00	0 15	24 75	8 87	— 2 12
Krishnarajpete ...	0 00	0 11	22 91	26 85	— 5 94
Nagamangala ...	0 00	0 07	26 89	27 23	— 0 34
Maddur ...	0 00	0 11	32 52	27 87	4 65
French-Rocks ...	0 00	0 12	35 12	26 45	8 67
District average ...	0 00	0 11	28 55	27 26	1 29
HASSAN					
Hassan (observatory)	0 00	0 25	25 44	34 38	— 8 94
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0 00	0 35	82 00	92 17	—10 17
Arkalgud ...	0 00	0 39	38 49	37 03	1 46
Belur ...	0 00	0 45	36 64	39 84	— 3 20
Channarayapatna ...	0 00	0 18	27 38	27 14	0 24
Arsikere ...	0 00	0 23	29 70	26 11	3 59
Holenarsipur ...	0 00	0 20	26 95	27 44	— 0 49
Alur ...	0 00	0 12	49 20	42 25	— 6 95
District average ...	0 00	0 27	39 47	40 79	— 1 32
SHIMOGA					
Shimoga ...	0 00	0 17	30 12	30 70	— 0 58
Channagiri ...	0 00	0 11	28 26	29 04	— 0 78
Honnali ...	0 00	0 16	32 42	23 26	9 16
Shikarpur ...	0 00	0 23	37 56	35 21	2 35
Scrab ...	0 00	0 21	51 79	60 90	— 9 11
Sagar ...	0 00	0 13	73 29	83 39	—10 10
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0 00	0 08	102 09	103 24	— 1 15
Tirthahalli ...	0 00	0 16	104 91	120 65	—15 74
Kumsi ...	0 00	0 11	35 59	40 87	— 5 28
District average ...	0 00	0 15	55 11	58 58	— 3 47
KADUR					
Chikmagalur ...	0 00	0 30	42 38	34 91	7 47
Kadur ...	0 00	0 25	23 82	22 83	0 99
Tarikere ...	0 00	0 24	31 63	35 68	— 4 05
Koppa ...	0 00	0 23	113 08	116 52	— 3 44
Mudgere ...	0 00	0 31	83 47	95 27	—11 80
Narasimharajpura ...	0 00	0 20	57 02	68 94	—11 92
Sringeri ...	0 00	0 28	133 29	145 88	—12 59
District average ...	0 00	0 26	69 24	74 29	— 5 05
CHITALDRUG					
Chitaldrug (observatory)	0 00	0 11	34 13	24 19	9 94
Challakere ...	0 00	0 04	22 07	17 65	4 42
Hiriyur ...	0 00	0 06	19 57	21 61	— 2 04
Holalkere ...	0 00	0 14	24 80	24 10	0 70
Davangere ...	0 00	0 16	26 27	25 16	1 11
Molakalmuru ...	0 00	0 02	26 91	23 57	3 34
Jagalur ...	0 00	0 07	29 16	21 70	7 46
Hosdurga ...	0 00	0 13	24 76	23 10	1 66
Harihar ...	0 00	0 24	20 55	20 84	— 0 29
District average ...	0 00	0 11	25 36	22 44	2 92
Provincial average ...	0 00	0 15	38 63	37 61	1 02

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	9·00
Ragi	13·50	13·00	14·00
Kulthi	8·00	8·00,	9·00
Kadale	10·00	10·00	10·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·75	7·50	8·00
Ragi	13·50	13·50	14·50
Kulthi	9·50	9·50	10·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	9·00
Ragi	14·00	14·00	17·00
Kulthi	12·00	12·00	14·00
Kadale	5·50	7·00	8·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·25	7·25	6·29
Ragi	16·00	16·00	15·68
Kulthi	9·75	9·75	9·50
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·00
Ragi	14·00	14·00	14·00
Kulthi	10·00	10·00	10·00
Kadale	7·00	7·00	7·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	6·00
Ragi	16·00	16·00	12·00
Kulthi	11·00	11·00	9·00
Cholum	16·00	16·00	12·00
Kadale	4·50	5·00	6·00

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana.
Kulthi—Horsegram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgere.
Kadale—(Bengalgram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Avare, thogari, paddy and sugarcane in all parts of the District: horsegram, in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Magadi, Anekal and Closepet Taluks; groundnut in parts of Hoskote, Magadi and Kankanhalli Taluks, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in parts of Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Chennapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli and Closepet Taluks; groundnut in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

Agricultural Operations.—Wet lands are being ploughed for sowing Vaishaky paddy in some parts of Kolar Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Potatoes in Chikballapur Taluk.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, ragi, avare, sugarcane, thogari, horsegram and chillies.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi and groundnuts in all Taluks; paddy in Gudibanda, Kolar and Chikballapur Taluks; potatoes in Malur and Kolar Taluks; same and sajje in Mulbagal Taluk and onions in Chikballapur Taluk.

10. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Fodder and water are generally available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

Agricultural Operations.—Nil.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Bengalgram in Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks and cholam in Gubbi Taluk are reported to have been sown.

Standing Crops.—Avare and thogari in all Taluks; ragi in all Taluks except Tiptur, Kunigal and Koratagere Taluks; sugarcane in Gubbi, Kunigal, Koratagere, Turuvekere and Madhugiri Taluks; paddy in Kunigal, Pavagada, Tiptur, Tumkur, Madhugiri, Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks; groundnut in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Gubbi, Pavagada and Turuvekere Taluks; castor seeds in Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Turuvekere Taluks; and cotton in Pavagada Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in all Taluks except in Koratagere Taluk; groundnut in Pavagada, Koratagere, Turuvekere, Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks; paddy in Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks; cholam in Chiknayakanhalli Taluk; sugarcane in Kunigal and Turuvekere Taluks; save in Pavagada and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks; navane and haraka in Pavagada Taluk are reported to have been harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.

Water and fodder are also reported to be available.

Public health is generally good.

MYSORE

8. Well supplied.

Standing Crops—Are in good condition.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Bengalgram in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk

Crops Harvested.—Paddy, horsegram, greengram, Bengalgram, thogari and tobacco in Krishnarajnagar Taluk; ragi and paddy in T.-Narsipur Taluk; ragi, greengram, Bengalgram and paddy in Chamarajnagar Taluk and ragi and paddy in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

10. It is reported that prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.
Fodder and water are available.

MANDYA.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops—Paddy, ragi horsegram, avare, sugarcane, castor and pulses in all the taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—It is reported that paddy and ragi in parts of Maddur, Malvalli, Seringapatam, French-Rocks and Krishnarajpete Taluks; sugarcane in parts of Maddur, Seringapatam and French-Rocks and groundnut in parts of Malvalli Taluk, are being harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are reported to be available.
Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Chapperoga" in Bachahalli Village of Malvalli Taluk. Action is being taken to arrest the spread of the disease.

HASSAN.

8 Well supplied.

9 *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition in all the Taluks and the Sub-Taluk in the District.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in Hassan and Belur Taluks; paddy in Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in Alur Sub-Taluk; Ragi in Arkalgud, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks and in Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be under harvest.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be favourable.

It is also reported that there are no signs of famine in any part of the District.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.
Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane in all the Taluks and jola, ragi and other dry crops in the Taluks of Shimoga, Chennagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab and Kumsi Sub-Taluk are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in all the Taluks; ragi and jola in the Taluks of Shimoga, Chennagiri, Honnali, Sorab and Kumsi; areca in the Taluks of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli are being harvested.

Crops Sown.—Sowing of Bengalgram, wheat, yanegara jola and horsegram has commenced in parts of Honnali Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Food grains are available.

11. Cattle are generally healthy all over the District.
Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugarcane, avare, Bengalgram, summer jola, horsegram, castor, coriander, groundnut, cardamom, areca, coffee, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy, ragi, areca, cardamom and coffee are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be in good health.
Water and fodder are available to them throughout the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing nil.

Standing Crops.—Such as ragi, jola, avare, thogari, cotton, kadale, paddy, horsegram, navane and sugarcane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Mungar jola and ragi in Chitaldrug Taluk; paddy, ragi and navane in Chellakere Taluk and Hiriyur Taluk; ragi, jola, groundnut, chillies and cotton in Davangere Taluk; paddy and groundnut in Molakalmuru Taluk; groundnut, ragi, jola and paddy in Jagalur Taluk; ragi and jola in Hosdurga Taluk; and groundnut and ragi in Harihar Sub-Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "ಅಪಮಾರ ರೋಗ" to cattle in Dharampur Village in Hiriyur Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspector concerned has been addressed in the matter of adopting necessary preventive measures, to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available.

There was no rainfall during the week in the District.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 12th December 1939.

K. M. NARASIMHAIYA,
Assistant Cimmissioner,
For *Revenue Commissioner,*
absent from the Station.

Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horsegram, at the several Taluk Headquarters for the week ending Saturday, the 9th December 1939.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas					
		Rice, 2nd sort		Ragi		Horse-gram	
		Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore North ...	6	0	13	8	8	0
	,, South ...	6	8	13	0	12	0
	Hoskote ...	7	8	15	0	10	0
	Dodballapur ...	7	0	14	8	9	8
	Nelamangala ...	7	0	14	0	10	0
	Kankanhalli ...	7	0	13	0	8	8
	Magadi ...	8	8	16	0	10	0
	Channapatna ...	7	8	13	0	10	0
	Anekal ...	6	8	14	0	8	0
	Devanhalli ...	7	0	14	0	8	0
	Closepet ...	7	0	14	0	10	0
Kolar	Kolar ...	8	0	15	0	10	0
	Bowringpet ...	7 8 to 8 0		14 8 to 15		9 8 to 10 0	
	Chintamani ...	7	8	15	0	9	8
	Mulbagal ...	8	8	14 8 to 15		9	8
	Sidlaghatta ...	7	0	14	0	9	0
	Chikballapur ...	8	8	15	0	10	0
	Bagepalli ...	8	0	16	0	10	0
	Goribidnur ...	7	0	15	0	9	0
	Malur ...	7	0	16	0	10	0
	Srinivaspur ...	7	0	15	0	10	0
	Gudibanda ...	8	0	16	0	10	0
Tumkur	Tumkur ...	8	0	16	0	8	0
	Madhugiri ...	9	0	20	0	10	0
	Chiknaikanhalli ..	8	4	16	0	11	0
	Sira ...	8	0	18	0	11	0
	Gubbi ...	8	0	13	0	10	0
	Tiptur ...	8	0	16	0	10	0
	Pavagada ...	8	8	18	0	11	0
	Kunigal ..	8	0	13	0	10	0
	Koratagere ...	8	8	20	0	11	0
	Turvekere ...	8	0	14	0	8	0
Mysore	Mysore ...	7	8	13	8	10	0
	Chamarajnagar ...	7	8	18	0	10	0
	Hunsur ..	8	4	16	0	11	0
	Krishnarajnagar ...	8	8	16	0	12	0
	Heggaddevankote ..	7	4	16	0	10	0
	Gundlupet ...	7	0	15	0	10	0
	Nanjangud ...	7	0	13	0	9	8
	T.-Narsipur ...	6	8	14	0	10	0
	Periyapatna ..	8	8	16	0	11	0
Mandya	Mandya ...	8	0	14	0	10	0
	Seringapatam ...	7	4	13	0	9	8
	Malvalli ...	7	0	14	0	9	0
	Krishnarajpete ...	8	0	15	0	12	0
	Nagamangala ...	8	0	13	0	9	0
	Maddur ...	7	0	13	0	8	8
	French-Rocks ...	7	0	13	0	9	0
Hassan	Hassan ...	8	0	14	0	12	0
	Manjarabad ...	7	0	14	0	8	8
	Arkalgud ...	9	0	20	0	9	0
	Belur ...	8	0	14	0	10	0
	Channarayapatna ...	8	8	15	0	10	0
	Arsikere ...	8	0	15	0	11	0
	Hole-Narsipur ...	8	0	16	0	11	0
	Alur ...	10	8	16	0	9	0
Shimoga	Shimoga ...	7	4	16	0	9	12
	Channagiri ..	8	0	16	0	9	0
	Honnali ...	8	8	18	0	10	0
	Shikarpur ...	9	0	20	0	8	0
	Sorab ...	8	0	20	0	10	0
	Sagar ..	7	4	16	0	10	0
	Hosanagar ...	7	8	14	0	10	0
	Tirthahalli ...	9	0	14	0	9	0
	Kumsi ...	8	4	15	0	10	0
Kadur	Chikmagalur ...	8	0	14	0	10	0
	Kadur ...	8	8	15	8	9	8
	Tarikere ...	9	0	16	0	10	0
	Koppa ...	8	8	14	8	10	0
	Mudgere ...	7	0	13	0	7	0
	Narasimharajpura ...	9	0	14	0	10	0
	Sringeri ...	10	0	14	0	10	0
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug ...	8	0	16	0	11	0
	Challakere ...	9	0	19	0	11	0
	Hiriyur ...	9	0	18	0	12	0
	Holalkere ...	6	0	16	0	11	0
	Davangere ...	8	0	16	0	11	0
	Molakalmuru ...	8	0	17	0	13	0
	Jagalur ...	8	0	17	0	12	0
	Hosdurga ...	9	0	18	0	12	0
	Harihar ...	8	0	16	0	11	0

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, the 12th December 1939.

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